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RESEARCH GROUP AND URL

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SHORT CV OF THE SUPERVISOR

Catherine Moury is Senior Lecturer in Political Science at the NOVA University, Portugal. Her research focuses on comparative politics and institutional change in the European Union. She has published in the American Journal of Political Science, European Journal of Political Research, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of European Public Policy, and elsewhere.

Research projects:

- Principal Investigator, Democracy in times of crisis: Power and Discourse in a three-level game, Project Funded by FCT, 2016-2019, 17 researchers, 198. 000 Euros.
- Principal Investigator, The Politics of Constraint: Discursive Strategies in a Three-level Game, funded by Santander-Totta, 2017-2018.
- Principal Investigator, Communicative Dissonance in a Three-level game, funded by FCSH-Universidade Nova, 2017-2019.
- Principal Investigator, Political parties and Democratic Accountability: Do Portuguese parties fulfil their pledges?. Project funded by FCT, 2011-2014. 10 researchers. 133.000 Euros.

Senior Lecturer in Political Sciences (with tenure), FCSH, NOVA University, 2012 -

Director of the Summer School on Drug policies, in collaboration with the European agency EMCCDA, ISCTE-IUL. 2012 -

Advanced Research Fellow, Centro de Investigação e Estudos de Sociologia, 2006 – 2012

Guest Assistant Professor of Political Science (30%), ISCTE-IUL, 2010- 2012

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Director of the PhD in Public Policies, ISCTE-IUL, September 2010, -2012

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5 SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Thomson, R., Royed, T., Naurin, E., Artés, J., Costello, R., Ennsler-Jedenastik, L., Ferguson, M., Kostadinova, P., Moury, C., Pétry, F. and Praprotnik, K., 2017. The Fulfillment of Parties' Election Pledges: A Comparative Study on the Impact of Power Sharing. *American Journal of Political Science*, 61(3), pp.527-542.
- Moury, C., & Standing, A. (2017). 'Going beyond the Troika': Power and discourse in Portuguese austerity politics. *European Journal of Political Research*.
- Fernandes, Jorge M., Florian Meinfelder, and Catherine Moury. "Wary Partners Strategic Portfolio Allocation and Coalition Governance in Parliamentary Democracies." *Comparative Political Studies* (2016)
- Hérítier, Adrienne, et al. *Changing Rules of Delegation: A contest for power in Comitology*. Oxford University Press, 2013. Moury, Catherine.
- *Coalition Government and Party Mandate: How coalition agreements constrain ministerial action*. Routledge, 2013.

PROJECT TITLE AND DESCRIPTION

Democracy in times of crisis: Power and Discourse in a three-level game

While many studies have examined the content and effects of the reforms passed during the crisis in different countries (the 'what'), still very little is known about the process leading to their adoption (the 'how'). Moreover, two contradictory narratives co-exist in the scarce literature addressing this topic. On the one hand, scholars argue that governments have been forced to implement very specific reforms against their will, in return for bail-out loans or after implicit blackmail by the ECB. By contrast, other studies claim that the crisis empowered governments to pass reforms they wanted all along. So which narrative is correct? And which accountability issues do these processes raise?

For more information, see: <https://www.researchgate.net/project/Democracy-in-times-of-crisis-Power-and-Discourse-in-a-three-level-game>

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